

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: SAFETY WHEEL, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SUCH A WHEEL AND BOGIE  
EQUIPPED WITH SUCH A WHEEL

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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